

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE TOWN OF
BRADFORD
FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15,
1914



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Selectmen, Treasurer,
AND
Other Town Officers
OF THE
TOWN OF BRADFORD
TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL BOARD
For the Fiscal Year
Ending February 15, 1914
AND THE
Vital Statistics
FOR THE YEAR 1913.

BRADFORD, N. H.
PATHFINDER AND VISITOR PRINT
1914.

Resident Tax Payers

Assessed in the town of Bradford for the year 1913.

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Abbott, George A.	\$1 24	Blaisdell, J. H. Est.	\$27 90
Adams, Roy W.	1 24	Butman, L. B.	54 21
Alexander, John	1 24	Butman, L. C.	4 66
Ansart, James N.	1 24	Benton, E. G. Est.	4 96
Ansart, Bert.	2 79	Bellows, Henry F.	1 24
Ansart, Marietta Mrs.	18 60	Bickford, Mary A.	12 40
Austin, George C.	2 36	Bickford, Ralph E.	1 24
Andrews, John L.	28 34	Blanchard, Clara E.	37 20
Ayer, Lafayette.	23 56	Brown, Arthur C.	1 24
Ayer, Harold W.	11 16	Butcher, W. F.	1 24
Bagley, David D.	1 24	Carr, William A.	37 50
Bagley, Frank T.	1 24	Carr, William M.	147 87
Bailey, Joseph.	28 58	Carr, Frank T.	38 63
Bailey, Elva Miss.	21 08	Carr, Helen F.	22 32
Bailey, Willis N.	44 64	Carr, Leon H.	1 24
Bailey, Albert W.	6 20	Case, Leon R.	1 24
Baker, John E.	4 22	Caldwell, Arthur C.	1 24
Barstow, Gideon G.	1 24	Cheney, George H.	28 52
Barnes, John L.	19 90	Cheney, Charles H.	17 98
Barnes, Lewis D.	1 24	Cheney, Walter A.	1 24
Barnard, John M.	1 24	Cheney, William P.	1 24
Bates, Byron N.	43 72	Cheney, Addie M.	9 92
Bartlett, Carlos F.	24 06	Chase, J. D.	15 19
Bartlett, Fred L.	3 35	Chase, P. D.	16 21
Bartlett, L. F.	21 08	Chase, C. H.	17 10
Blood, Hollis L.	28 46	Choate, Wm. G.	2 98

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Choate, Orie I.	\$14 88	Crittenden, E. M. Mrs	\$22 32
Cilley, George A.	49 05	Cummings, R. W.	56 05
Cleveland, A. L.	1 24	Cummings, Loyd R.	1 24
Cleveland & Barstow.	26 72	Cummings, Thomas G.	1 24
Clark, Milton H.	23 56	Cummings, Mary I.	19 84
Clark, John A.	1 24		
Clark, Charles H.	3 48		
Clement, Archie W.	18 48	Danforth Bros.	105 40
Clifford, Etta Mrs.	13 14	Danforth, Carl A.	11 47
Clifford, John E.	1 24	Danforth, Timothy S.	6 20
Colby, Uriah Est.	8 68	Danforth, Emeline S.	18 60
Colby, Fred A.	47 08	Danforth, Earl E.	1 24
Colby, Mary E.	1 86	Daigle, Thomas	52 60
Colby, Darius E.	12 03	Daigle, Fred J.	1 24
Colby, Silas Est.	67 97	Davis, Samuel D.	16 43
Colby, Silas Est. in trust.	29 76	Davis, S. D. & W. F.	4 84
Colby, Sebastian	62	Davis, Walter F.	6 26
Colburn, Henry E.	1 24	Davis, Emily E.	12 40
Corrigan, Hugh	62 00	Davis, Samuel D.	1 36
Corrigan, Leon S.	1 24	Davis, Henry G.	1 86
Cofrin, George W.	53 76	Davidson & Greeley	37 20
Cofrin, Etta Mrs.	11 91	Dodge, Edwin H.	43 53
Craig, Parker B.	37 82	Dowling, Presson C.	1 24
Craig, Clinton D.	1 24	Dunham, Winthrop	1 24
Craig, Milton O.	19 27		
Craig, Andrew J.	25 18	Eaton, J. Willis.	39 80
Cram, Orlan D.	35 66	Eaton, George W. Est.	23 38
Cressy, George W. W.	41 54	Eaton, Alice M. Mrs.	9 92
Cressy, John W.	71 18	Eaton, Eliza J.	6 20
Cressy, Byron A.	54 38	Ewins, George W.	14 57
Cressy, Hattie A. Mrs.	13 58	Ewins, John H.	21 70
Cressy, Fred M.	42 78	Everett, Waldo C.	24 18
Cressy, Ada Mrs.	28 52	Ennis, Clarisa Mrs.	34 72

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Farr, E. C.	\$46 33	Hall, Oi.	\$57 29
Forsaith, E. J.	17 54	Hall, John A.	22 89
Forsaith, A. K.	1 24	Hall, Mary C.	19 22
Fortune, Frank.	27 96	Hall, Fred B.	8 68
Fowler, Robert M.	4 96	Hall, Jerry S.	22 07
Forsburg, Andrew G.	17 45	Hall, Samuel S.	1 24
Follansbee, Henry M.	1 24	Hall, Everett G.	3 10
Felch, Helen H. W. Mrs.	19 10	Hall, & Ayer.	12 40
Flanders, W. E.	8 06	Hawks, Sarah K.	20 15
		Hale, John H.	1 24
		Haskell, Carl P.	1 24
G. A. R. Hall.	18 60	Hardy, Helen Mrs.	29 76
Gardner, Arthur B.	10 42	Hemphill, George A.	11 16
Gardner, M. F. & M. M.	16 74	Hemphill, Frank E.	19 41
Ghastin, Martha Est.	6 20	Holton, John.	1 24
Gillingham, F. H.	49 91	Howe, Frank H.	15 19
Gillis, Charles.	2 30	Howlett, Fred O.	20 65
Gillis, Charles Mrs.	89 90	Hoyt, George A.	30 44
Gillis & Jones.	1 24	Hoyt, Elbridge G.	8 14
Gilman, William H.	18 60	Hoyt, & Courser.	14 88
Gillingham, A. J.	1 24	Hoyt, John.	11 78
Goss, Aaron W.	1 74	Hoyt, Delmon C.	40 49
Gould, George B.	45 33	Hoyt, Robert I.	2 92
Gould, G. B. & Son.	3 72	Hoyt, Lizzie Mrs.	22 32
Gould, Frank B.	1 24	Howland, Clifford.	35 34
Gould, Elizabeth Est.	32 24	Holman, Lydia M. Mrs.	23 56
Gocha, George W.	4 96	Heath, Arthur S.	1 24
Grange Hall.	14 88	Hildreth, J. M. Mrs.	21 88
		Huntoon, Martin H.	18 60
Hadley, Sara R.	54 56		
Hadley, Cyrus E.	43 84		
Hadley, Charles Mrs.	7 44	Ingalls, George H.	18 18

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Jemeson, A. J.	\$8 93	Messer, Frank H.	\$57 04
Jemeson, L. P.	6 95	Messer, Fred A.	7 81
Jennings, Gilbert E. Est.	13 58	Messer, Bert A.	22 08
Jewett, Albert E.	8 68	Messer, Auren W.	13 64
Johnson, James H.	26 35	Messer, Bros. & French.	26 66
Jones, Fred M.	1 24	Mitchell, Edwin D.	9 30
Jones, T. A. J. Est.	12 40	Mitchell, Sumner T.	12 28
		Mitchell, George L.	1 24
Keyser, James F.	25 30	Moor, Arthur F.	28 28
Keyser, J. Elroy	2 48	Morse, Charles H.	26 10
Keyser, L. J.	1 24	Morse, D. Moody.	46 52
Kittredge, Everett,	46 63	Morse, Eldridge A.	1 54
Kittredge, Ralph M.	1 24	Morse, Leon M.	2 17
		Morse, Harlan P.	1 24
		Morse, C. L. Mrs.	16 12
		Morse, Sarah M.	22 32
Larkin, Herbert W.	59 09		
Lear, Harry W.	17 36	Nelson, Delbert W.	64 48
Lewis, Evans H.	20 35	Newman, Charles M.	20 46
Lovering, Daniel.	1 24	Newman, Lucy Mrs.	30 38
		Nichols, Edwin.	8 68
		Nichols, Guy D.	58 60
Marshall, Charles H.	89 28		
Marshall, D. R. Est.	178 56	Osgood, Charles B.	11 16
Martin, Mary W. Mrs.	52 08		
McDowell, Frederick.	21 53	Parker, Charles A.	24 49
McKim, William.	7 75	Peters, Wm. H.	1 24
Melvin, F. O.	42 72	Peaslee, J. Albert.	36 34
Melvin, Josiah.	6 82	Peaslee, Daniel G.	42 70
Messer, E. C.	1 24	Peaslee, Fred.	18 42
Messer, Roy A.	1 24	Peaslee, Frank.	25 81
Messer, E. C. & Son.	60 45		
Messer, Estella B.	3 72		

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Peaslee, George.	\$1 24	Sawtell, Ervin.	\$1 24
Peaslee, Jefferson G.	35 10	Sawyer, George M.	2 48
Perkins, Harvey M.	11 19	Sawyer, Warren F.	1 24
Perkins, Jennie Mrs.	24 80	Sawyer, Daniel U.	1 24
Perkins, Hattie M. Mrs.	24 80	Sawyer, Alice J.	19 66
Perkins, Leon F.	9 30	Severence, Hiram.	27 28
Perkins, Ernest C.	1 24	Shattuck, Albert E.	6 08
Pendleton, John S.	2 18	Shattuck, George H.	15 15
Pike, Charles W.	1 74	Shattuck, Herbert.	1 24
Piper John.	13 64	Smith, C. M.	1 67
Piper, Justin L.	49 98	Smith, Edgar W.	17 55
Presby, George W.	1 24	Smith, George M.	1 24
Putnam, George A.	4 03	Smith, George M. Mrs.	15 50
Putnam, Martha R. Mrs.	31 00	Smith, Ned H.	1 86
Putney, Richard M.	4 34	Smith, Z. L.	1 24
Pierce, Daniel.	1 24	Smith, Fred.	23 87
		Small, Wm. F.	38 44
		Stanley, Priscilla Mrs.	7 44
Rand, George.	24 80	Stevens, Alfred G.	7 44
Rand, & Cheney.	13 64	Stevens, S. G. & Son.	12 78
Rand, George F., Mrs.	29 27	Stevens, S. G.	26 73
Rand, Glea L.	9 92	Stevens, Charles C.	25 49
Ring, Edmond P.	24 62	Stevens, Frank G.	1 24
Russell, Harry O.	11 91	Stevens, Fred H.	51 65
		Stevens, Arthur D.	18 05
		Stone, Frank.	2 48
		St. Peter's Lodge.	3 72
Sanborn, Joseph W.	12 03		
Sargent, Harriett Mrs.	20 09		
Sargent, Abbie Miss.	10 42		
Sargent, Fred W.	3 72	Tappan, Helen M.	8 68
Sargent, Harry E.	3 97	Tatum, Joseph W.	3 49
Sargent, Orvis.	1 67	Train, Henry A.	4 96
Sawtell, John W.	3 10	Trow, Joseph H.	28 42

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Trow, George C.	\$32 43	Ward, Chester D.	\$1 24
Trow, Will S.	93 82	Ward, Belle E. Mrs.	14 88
Trow, Carrie L.	62 00	Ward, Ralph E.	24 49
Trow, Leslie C.	1 24	Wells, Perlinton G.	20 77
Trow, C. A. & A. N.	54 44	West, Susan M. Mrs.	5 40
Trow, Charles A.	1 24	West, Charles K.	5 58
Trow, Albert N.	1 24	West, Fred F.	43 94
Tilton, Edward P.	1 24	Wheeler, Lizzie Est.	13 64
Tuttle, Homer R.	9 92	Wiggin, Frank L.	1 24
Tuttle, Ralph S.	2 48	Wiggin, Ira F.	1 86
Tuttle, Harriett B.	4 96	Wiggin, A. Mrs.	14 88
		Wiggin, Charles S.	12 40
		Wilson, Melvina.	93
Varney, Frederick D.	10 23	Wilson, Charles A.	1 62
		Wright, Sarah F. Est.	37 20
Wallis, Nathaniel L.	3 29	Wyman, Herbert C.	14 88
Ward, Clarence W.	10 85	Wyman, Fred H.	1 24
Ward, Samuel P.	1 24	Woods, Charles H.	1 24

Non-Resident Tax Payers

Assessed in the town of Bradford for the year 1913.

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Abbott, Walter H.	825 05	Carroll, E. H. & Son.	8 4 96
Adams, W. Porter.	2 48	Cavanaugh, & Smith.	31 00
Andrews, Gilbert.	8 68	Chase, Charles H.	49 60
Andrews, Frank E.	15 50	Childs, Lewis.	9 92
Ayer, Frank P.	16 12	Chamberlain, Walter.	1 24
		Cheney, Sabria.	2 61
Bagley, Alberton.	4 34	Clark, Eliza Miss.	21 08
Bagley, Warren T.	16 12	Colby, Warren M.	4 96
Badlam, A. B. Miss.	13 33	Cogswell, & Holmes.	11 16
Bailey, R. R.	2 48	Connor, Frank.	11 16
Bailey, Scott W.	3 72	Couch, S. M. Est.	8 68
Bartlett, & Craig.	1 24	Courser, Fred.	43 65
Balch, Harry.	12 40	Cox, George W.	4 96
Barton, & Richards.	6 20	Craig, Frank P.	2 48
Barnes, Ida M.	1 96	Cressy, Myron G. D.	39 68
Blodgett, E. A.	1 86	Cressy, M. D.	19 84
Bly, Hattie Mrs.	12 40	Crosby, J. Frank.	4 34
Brackett, J. Q. A.	24 80	Cutting, Frank S.	43 40
Butler, J. Arthur.	8 68	Courser.	2 48
Burnham, Bloomfield.	9 92		
Brockway, Fred.	10 23		
Brown, Henry.	6 20		
Brown, Henry J.	8 19	Davis, L. E.	12 09
		Davis, Wm. H.	6 20
		Davis, Abbie P.	4 96
Carr, George W. Est.	26 04	Dodge, D. H.	14 88
Carr, G. Willie.	3 72	Draper, Co.	56 73

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Donlop, James	\$1 24	Holmes, Mason	\$12 40
		Holmes, & Choate	24 80
		Holman, Samuel	31 00
Eastman, Charles	7 44	Ingalls, Solomon Heirs	6 20
Eaton, A. S.	62		
Emerson, Paper Co.	18 60	Jacobs, C. F.	21 08
		Jackson, Elizabeth Mrs.	4 96
Farrer, Alden P.	6 20	Jones, James H.	12 40
Farnham C. H.	18 60	Johnson, Nellie F.	11 16
Flanders, Parker	1 86		
Fogg, & Rowell,	3 23	Keyser, Charles O. Est.	24 80
		Kimball, Moses, Heirs	8 68
Foster Harry S.	2 48	Kimball, John F.	2 48
French, Arthur	3 72		
French, John E.	70 06	Leach, Lizzie, Mrs.	6 82
		Logan, John W.	8 68
Gage, George N. Est.	1 86	Lunt, J. B.	8 68
Gay, Newton Est.	7 44		
Gilchrist, J. J. & R. H.	1 24	Marshall, H. W.	57 79
Grimes, Hannah Mrs.	11 16	Maxon, George E.	1 24
Grady, Laura W.	14 88	McCabe, Joseph	12 40
Greenough, Haines.	2 48	McDvain, John S.	2 48
		Melvin, Persis H.	5 58
Hall, Isaac E.	21 08	Melvin, Sally	75
Hartshorn, George	1 24	Martin, George G.	35 03
Hawes, Sarah A.	18 60	Mellen, Edwin D.	6 20
Hayden, A. W.	9 92	Monroe, Fred B.	13 78
Heath, F. F.	12 40	Morrill, George A.	3 72
Henley, Clara E.	1 24	Morrill, George A. Mrs.	2 48
Highland, George B.	6 70	Moon, Heirs	17 36

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Nelson, Eugene L.	\$ 2 48	Sanborn, E. L.	\$ 2 48
Nichols, B. H.	1 55	Shultis, Mark.	39 68
Nichols, John O.	13 02	Spaulding, Lizzie. Mrs.	6 20
		Spaulding, S. G.	3 72
		Snow, Lizzie, Mrs.	12 40
		Stevens, C. D.	22 32
Patch, George E.	3 76	Stratton, Fred G.	27 28
Peasley, Frank.	44		
Presby, Henry F.	8 68	Tallant, Hugh.	12 40
Preston, & Marshall.	1 86	Thompson, James.	37 20
Preston, Bros.	4 34	Trecarton, Hannah.	1 24
Prince, Rodney H.	12 40		
Proctor, Edd.	21 08	Wadleigh, Benj. Est.	20 46
Putnam, Eugene G.	18 91	Wallis, Valletta I. B.	9 92
		Ward, Frank H.	27 28
		Warner, A. C.	2 48
Rice, James G.	12 40	West, Andy J.	6 20
Rice, John H.	11 16	West, & Chase.	33 48
Rollins, W. K.	38 32	Whiting, D. & Sons.	41 85
Robertson, John E.	26 04	Wheeler, Otis S.	1 24
Rowe, Carl W.	6 20		
Rowe, Willis J.	3 72	Young, Harlon E.	1 24
Russell, Ernest.	13		

Uncollected Taxes.

Name	Tax	Name	Tax
Adams, Roy.	1 24	Varney, Frederick.	10 23
Andrews, John.	28 34	West, Susan.	5 40
Benton, E. G. Est.	4 96	West, Charles.	5 58
Clark, Charles.	3 48	Courser, Harry.	2 48
Danforth, Earl.	1 24	Proctor, Edd.	4 90
Davis, Henry.	1 86	Kimball, John F.	2 48
Gilmore, William.	18 16		
Gocha, George.	4 96	Amt. Uncollected tax	169 83
Pierce, Daniel.	1 24		
Sargent, Orvis.	1 67	Amt. Collected since the	
Shattuck, Albert.	6 08	books were audited.	46 79
Shattuck, Geo. H.	15 15		
Smith, Geo. M.	1 24	Uncollected 1912 taxes,	
Stevens, Alfred.	7 44	Shattuck, Geo. A.	15 55
Stevens, Charles.	25 49	Tatum, J. W.	19 20
Stevens, S. G.	13 73	Woods, Charles.	1 28
Stone, Frank.	2 48		
			36 03

Selectmen's Report

For the year ending February 15, 1914

Inventory of the town of Bradford as taken by the Selectmen
April 1, 1913.

Polls, 215	\$ 21,500
Real estate, resident	365,837
" non-resident	134,545
Horses, 194	17,725
Mules, 2	250
Oxen, 50	4,605
Cows, 380	16,194
Neat stock, 106	3,338
Sheep, 378	2,026
Hogs, 5	80
Fowls, 562	344
Vehicles, 15	6,750
Mills and machinery	1,585
Wood and lumber	2,100
Stock in banks	1,600
Money on hand and at interest	14,699
Stock in trade	30,795
Launches, 1	125

\$624,098

Rate per \$100 \$1.24

THE SELECTMEN CHARGE THEMSELVES WITH

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$1,525 81
Uncollected taxes of 1911, 1912, and 1913	274 46
Bounty on hedgehogs	33 60
Taxes committed to F. B. Gould	7,767 53
Dog license	122 45
Insurance tax	27 00
Railroad tax	805 51
Savings bank tax	2,265 75
Literary fund	75 90
Proportion of school fund	261 00
Oxen sold	480 00
Aid to county poor	108 50
dependentsoldiers	306 32
Hedgehog money from state	50 80
Over-drawn order for hedgehogs	5 40
Highway money from state	330 00
Money for use of town hall from J. W. Sawtell	64 41
Pool table license	10 00
Peddlers' license	5 00
Balance of road money from A. J. Craig	62 06
Money from F. O. Chellis on Peaslee case	255 89
Cemetery lots sold	20 00
" fund	19 50
Use of oxen on state road	8 00
Interest on taxes 1911	40
1912	3 37
1913	14 21
Protested check and expense of same (committed to Collector	26 26
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	\$14929 13

THE SELECTMEN CREDIT THEMSELVES WITH

State tax	\$1824 00
County tax	1267 29
Aid rendered dependent soldiers	306 32
county poor	108 50
town poor	154 00
Highways from Feb. 15, 1913 to Feb. 15, 1914	2170 05
Oxen	455 00
State road	1159 73
repairing	164 38
Town officers' bills	478 00
Electric lights	406 67
Public library	172 30
Miscellaneous	676 83
Abatements and discounts	149 23
Cost of Peaslee case	124 06
Uncollected taxes and cash in hands of Collector	343 67
For widening road	197 77
Schools	3134 10
Cash in hands of Treasurer	1637 23
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	\$14929 13

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

John S. Pendleton, Town Clerk	\$40 00
Charles H. Marshall, Treasurer	40 00
J. W. Sanborn, Selectman	80 00
G. W. W. Cressey “	75 00
F. O. Melvin, “	110 00
Ned H. Smith, Supervisor	8 00
Chas. C. Stevens “	8 00
John A. Hall, “	8 00
Clifford Howland, M. D. Board of Health	12 00
F. B. Gould, Tax Collector	75 00
Hugh Corrigan, Police	4 00
J. W. Sawtell, “	4 00
Leon M. Perkins, “	4 00
Leon M. Morse, Moderator and Auditor	6 00
George W. Cofrin, Auditor	4 00
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	\$ 478 00

LIBRARY,

George C. Trow, money required by law	\$ 72 30
Elmira Hall, Librarian	100 00
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	\$ 172 30

TOWN POOR

Charles B. Wyman,	\$154 00
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COUNTY POOR

Mrs. George Haselton,	\$ 53 00
J. W. Messer,	55 50
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	\$ 108 50

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS

County	\$306 32
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TOWN HALL

Received from Janitor	64 41
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STATEMENT OF STATE ROAD FUND

State contribution	\$364 64
Town “	910 22
Total joint fund	<u>\$1274 86</u>

State disbursements	\$ 124 64
Town “	1159 73
Total disbursements	<u>\$1284 37</u>

Total fund	<u>1274 86</u>
Over-drawn	\$9 51

MAINTENANCE

State contribution	\$106 28
Town “	78 25
	<u>\$184 53</u>

State disbursements	\$12 18
Town “	164 38
	<u>\$176 56</u>
Balance	7 97

Balance in state treasury	\$4 10
“ town “	3 87
	<u>\$7 97</u>

MISCELLANEOUS

Bounty on hedgehogs	\$50 80
F. H. Howe, printing town reports 1913	57 20
W. H. Abbott, reporting births and deaths	2 50
J. Albert Peaslee, insurance	67 50
Edson C. Eastman, tax collectors book	1 63
H. J. Thurber, envelopes and notices	3 25
Selectmens' expenses to Concord	12 78
G. H. Cheney, picking brown tail moths	51 70
F. O. Melvin, cash paid for stamps and express	6 05
L. B. Butman, horsefeed	11 75
Milton O. Craig, picking brown tail moths	34 72
C. S. Wiggin, cleaning town-house yard	3 00
G. K. Stratton, Memorial day fund	75 00
C. H. Marshall, fixing pump	50
J. D. Chase, overtax on steers	74
“ use of watering trough	3 00
J. Elroy Keyser, care of cemetery	5 00
R. W. Cummings, board of Selectmen	50 75
F. O. Howlett, care of cemetery	50
J. M. Barnard, “ “	5 00
F. H. Gillingham, Fire Warden	8 60
F. H. Howe, order books	3 50
Over-drawn order for hedgehogs	5 40
Fred A. Colby, care of cemetery	3 00
C. H. Marshall, starting water and fixing pump	1 80
Protested check	26 26
C. H. Marshall, starting water etc.	1 95
W. F. Small, rent of court room	10 00
Fred Smith, damage to sheep	35 00
F. O. Melvin, expense mailing notices	2 15
F. H. Howe, printing	3 85
Ralph E. Ward, use of watering trough	3 00
Edson C. Eastman, check lists and warrants	2 10
Addie A. Cheney, use of well	10 00
J. S. Pendleton, stationery and recording	7 72
Oi Hall, fixing pump and care of trough	9 50

M. H. Huntoon, care of trough	\$ 1 00
F. O. Melvin, postage, stationery, 4 trips to Concord and cash paid out	17 73
H. M. Perkins, wood and care of 88 tramps	32 05
Clifford Howland, reporting births and deaths	1 00
C. H. Marshall, stamps	50
F. B. Gould, Stamps and stationery	10 75
L. B. Butman, cemetery fund	19 50
Tools for road	10 10
George A. Cilley, expense in Phillip Goss case	7 00
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	\$676 83

ABATEMENTS DISCOUNTS AND INTEREST

Abatements 1911	\$ 7 44
1912	15 98
1913	8 45
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	\$ 31 87
Interest 1911	40
1912	3 37
1913	14 21
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	\$ 17 98

ASSETS

Balance in hands of Treasurer	1638 58
Cash in hands of Collector and uncollected taxes	343 67
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	\$ 2082 25

Respectfully submitted

FRANK O. MELVIN	} Selectmen
J. W. SANBORN	
G. W. W. CRESSEY	

Town Treasurer's Report

For the year ending Feb. 1914

To cash on hand	\$1525 81
Recd. of F. B. Gould, Tax Collector for 1911	2 24
1912	216 54
bal. of money paid by A. J. Craig, Road Agt.	62 06
peddlers' license	5 00
town hall	64 41
pool table	10 00
savings bank and railroad tax	3435 16
two pair oxen	480 00
J. A. Peaslee	255 89
bounty on hedgehogs	89 80
state aid on highways	330 00
aid to dependent soldiers	306 32
county poor	108 50
interest on cemetery fund	19 50
two lots in Pleasant Hill Cemetery	20 00
dog license	122 45
use of oxen	8 00
F. B. Gould, Tax Collector	7374 55
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	\$14436 23
Selectmen's orders paid by C. H. Marshall, Treas.	12799 00
Cash on hand	1637 23
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	\$14436 23

CHARLES H. MARSHALL, Treasurer.

Road Agent's Report

From Feb. 15 to April 1 1913.

Mar.	N. H. Gove, work on road	\$2 00
	H. W. Larkin,	88
Apr	J. A. Hall, plowing sidewalks	3 50
	G. H. Shattuck shoveling snow	1 50
	C. H. Chase " "	1 25
	S. D. Davis " "	1 23
	A. J. Jameson breaking roads	3 14
	H. E. Sargent " "	2 80
	G. W. Cofrin " "	1 75
	H. G. Davis work on roads	2 00
	C. F. Bartlett, plowing sidewalks	2 00
	M. O. Craig, services as Road Agent	5 00
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		\$ 27 05
Apr. 15,	Received of Selectmen	27 05

Road Agent's Report

From April 1, 1913, to Nov. 1, 1913.

Apr. 1	Expense of getting oxen	\$ 5 75
5	T. G. Cummings labor on road	12 00
14	C. K. West	7 00
19	T. G. Cummings,	20 00
19	E. D. Mitchell,	24 00
26	G. A. Cilley,	14 00
26	J. Holton,	15 75
May 3	E. F. Barnard, for hay	18 94
5	Danforth Bros., grain and tools	16 91

May	5	William Carr, for grain	\$12 45
	5	T. G. Cummings, labor	13 00
	5	G. A. Cilley,	9 00
	5	E. D. Mitchell,	12 00
	5	C. K. West,	12 25
	5	J. Holton,	7 87
	17	T. G. Cummings,	18 00
	17	E. D. Mitchell,	28 00
	17	C. K. West,	8 75
	23	Thomas Hooker, for bridge lumber	43 52
	31	D. C. Hoyt, part pay on bridge plank	40 00
	31	T. G. Cummings, labor	18 00
	31	E. D. Mitchell,	24 00
	31	G. A. Cilley,	20 00
	31	C. K. West,	14 00
	31	J. Holton,	24 50
Jun	7	E. D. Mitchell,	8 00
	14	Aubrey Smith,	12 25
	14	Clarence Fortune,	8 75
	14	D. Bagley,	12 00
	14	T. G. Cummings,	24 00
	14	C. K. West,	15 75
	14	J. Holton	19 25
	14	Danforth Bros., for grain	52 79
	14	D. C. Hoyt, for team and hay for oxen	34 25
	14	Frank Fortune, for bridge stringers	5 00
	19	A. J. Craig, 800 ft. boards for bridge	16 00
	21	D. Bagley, for labor	12 00
	21	T. G. Cummings,	12 00
	21	G. A. Cilley,	20 00
	21	C. K. West,	10 50
	28	D. Bagley,	12 00
	28	T. G. Cummings,	12 00
	28	C. K. West,	10 50
	28	J. Holton,	20 25
	30	Frank Hemphill, bridge stringers	6 00

Jul.	3	W. F. Davis, feeding oxen	\$4 50
	5	Aubrey Smith, labor	8 00
	18	A. J. Jameson,	2 00
Aug.	2	R. W. Cummings, for hay	67 12
	5	D. C. Hoyt, bridge plank and stringers	56 90
	5	Rand & Cheney, 1 M. of shingles	3 50
	5	M. D. Cressy, for team	4 00
	7	A. W. Clement, blacksmithing	4 30
	7	H. Corrigan, shoeing oxen, repairing yokes	11 05
	9	J. H. Trow, drawing bridge plank	4 00
	30	C. K. West, labor	7 00
Sep.	1	A. B. Gardner, work on bridge	17 50
	1	A. B. Gardner, bridge stringers	15 00
	4	J. H. Trow, drawing bridge plank	4 00
	6	Gaun Bagley, labor	11 38
	6	C. K. West,	9 63
	12	G. D. Nichols, pasturing oxen	3 00
	12	G. H. Ingalls, returning road roller	2 00
	13	George Morrill, for gravel on road	7 00
	13	Gaun Bagley, labor	10 50
	13	C. K. West,	10 50
	13	J. Holton,	10 50
	23	C. K. West,	3 75
	23	Hall & Ayer, shoeing oxen	5 35
Sep	23	R. W. Cummings, for grade	3 90
	24	Gaun Bagley, labor	1 75
	27	Danforth Bros., grain, 1 gal. creosol	
		and sprayer	24 45
	27	C. H. Marshall, tile pipe	1 28
	27	D. Bagley, labor	2 00
Oct.	4	Gaun Bagley,	8 75
	4	C. K. West,	8 75
	7	J. H. Trow,	28 00
	11	C. K. West,	7 00
	11	Gaun Bagley,	7 00
	11	J. Holton,	7 00

Oct. 17	Holmes & Choate, bridge plank and stringers	\$41 20
17	G. A. Cilley, labor	3 00
24	W. S. Bailey, for grade	1 40
	A. J. Craig, services as Road Agent	292 00

Total expenditure on roads and bridges	\$ 1482 94
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Apr. 1	By cash received from Selectmen	\$ 600 00
May 3		400 00
June 12		500 00
Aug 2		500 00

	\$ 2000 00
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Apr 1	Paid H. S. Cutts, for oxen	\$225 00
Apr 1	Walter Thompson, for oxen	230 00

	\$ 455 00
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Jun 30	Received of George Moore, for oxen	\$230 00
Sep 18	E. H. Carroll & Son, for oxen	250 00

	\$ 480 00
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Total expenditure on roads and bridges	\$1482 94
Paid to Selectmen for oxen	480 00
Cash returned to Selectmen	62 06

	\$ 2025 00
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Gain on oxen	\$25 00
Paid to Selectmen for use of oxen on State road	8 00

Road Agent's Report.

from Nov. 1, 1913, to Feb. 15, 1914.

1913

Nov. F. T. Bagley,	\$ 15 00
G. A. Cilley,	16 00
C. H. Chase,	12 00
R. E. Ward,	12 00
C. H. Chase,	4 00
F. A. Colby,	13 80
D. Stevens,	4 00
G. A. Cilley,	2 00
W. G. Choate,	6 75
C. West,	2 63
N. A. Wallace,	3 50
H. A. Train,	3 50
F. T. Bagley,	8 00
G. H. Cheney, work and feeding horse	35 00
G. H. Cheney, setting guide boards	2 50

1914

Feb. 5. H. E. Sargent, breaking roads	6 40
A. J. Jameson,	4 95
R. E. Ward,	23 70
Craig & Chase,	18 00
E. P. Ring, grade	1 00
N. H. Smith, plowing sidewalks	10 00
M. O. Craig, feeding oxen	75
Geo. Shattuck, breaking roads	38 00

\$ 243 48

Feb. 13. H. W. Larkin, work on road	1 50
A. L. Sawyer, breaking roads	2 70
F. O. Howlett, " "	3 10
J. D. Chase, " "	3 00

Feb	G. A. Hoyt, feeding cattle	\$1 50
	G. H. Cheney, work	2 00
	C. H. Morse	3 34
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		\$ 260 62
Received of Selectmen		\$ 300 00
Received of Town		270 00
		260 62
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Due the Town		\$ 309 38

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the town of Bradford, N. H., hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Board of Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Three Road Agents, Library Trustees, Cemetery Committee, Town Hall Agent, School Board and School Treasurer, for the fiscal year, ending Feb. 15, 1914, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched; except that no vouchers were present for the account of Andrew Craig, Road Agent.

Leon M. Morse, }
 Geo. W. Cofrin, } Auditors.

Bradford Free Library

TRUSTEES REPORT

Cash on hand	\$28 04
Reed. from Mary Hall Fund	20 00
Town Treasurer	72 30
Librarian	7 00
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	\$127 34
Paid for printing	\$ 1 00
books	10 00
freight on books	25
printing	2 00
express	30
books	79 64
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	\$93 19
In hands of Trustees	34 15
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	\$127 34

JOHN S. PENDLETON }
 J. W. SANBORN } Trustees
 GEORGE C. TROW }

LIBRARIANS REPORT.

Received for fines, cards etc.	\$9 00
Paid for supplies and postage	2 00
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Balance	\$7 00

Mrs. ALMIRA HALL, Librarian

There is deposited in New Hampshire Savings Bank \$500 left the library by the late Mrs. Mary Hall, the income of which is available yearly for the purchase of books.

JOHN E. FRENCH, Trustee.

Cemetery Trust Fund Account

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1914

In New Hampshire Savings Bank:

Sarah J. Martin fund	\$100 00
Interest accrued	15 38
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Total	\$115 38
Expended on burial lot	4 00
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Balance on deposit	\$111 38

Clara B. Harvey fund	\$100 00
Interest accrued	12 83
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Total	\$112 83
Expended on burial lot	4 00
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Balance on deposit	\$108 83

Charles A. and Carlos F. Bartlett fund	\$100 00
Interest accrued	8 66
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Total	\$108 66
Paid Carlos F. Bartlett care of lot	4 00
Balance on deposit	\$104 66

Abbie Ingalls fund	\$100 00
Interest accrued	4 66
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Total	\$104 66
Expended on burial lot	4 00
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Balance on deposit	\$100 66

Union Trust Company	
Ann Maria Farrington fund	\$95 00
Interest accrued	4 59
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Total	\$99 59
Expended on burial lot	3 50
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Balance on deposit	\$96 09

Town Hall Report

RECEIPTS

1913.

Feb.	21.	Dance	\$1 25
	28.	Lecture Course	2 50
Mar.	5.	Moose meeting	1 25
	14.	Dance	1 25
	19.	Moose meeting	1 25
Apr.	2.	" "	1 25
	9.	Prof. Harrington's show	6 00
	15.	D. of L.	1 25
	16.	Moose meeting	1 25
	24.	I. O. O. F.	1 25
May	7.	Moose meeting	1 25
	21.	" "	1 25
	23.	Band dance	1 00
June	4.	Moose meeting	1 25
	18.	" "	1 25
July	2.	" "	1 25
	4.	Show	2 00
	8.	"	2 00
	11.	Dance	1 25
	16.	Moose meeting	1 25
	17.	Entertainment	1 25
	18.	Dance	1 25
	25.	"	1 25
Aug.	1.	"	1 25
	6.	Moose meeting	1 25
	8.	Dance	1 25
	15.	Kings' Daughters fair. Free	
	16.	Maxham	1 50
	19.	Dance	1 25
	20.	Moose meeting	1 25

Aug.	21.	Entertainment	\$ 1 25
	22.	Dance	1 25
	25.	Grange	1 25
	26.	Dance	1 25
	29.	"	1 25
Sept.	2.	"	1 25
	3.	Moose meeting	1 25
	17.	" "	1 25
Oct.	1.	" "	1 25
	3.	Grange fair	1 50
	8.	Dog show	4 50
	11.	Auction	1 25
	15.	Moose meeting	1 25
	17.	Lecture	1 25
	31.	Dance	1 25
Nov.	5.	Moose meeting	1 25
	7.	Lecture	1 25
	10.	Picture show	1 25
	17.	"	1 25
	19.	Moose meeting	1 25
	27.	Dance	1 25
Dec.	1.	Picture show	1 25
	2.	Lecture	1 25
	3.	Moose meeting	1 25
	8.	Picture show	1 25
	11.	Entertainment	1 25
	13.	Lecture	1 25
	15.	Picture show	1 25
	17.	Moose meeting	1 25
	31.	Dance	1 25
1914.			
Jan.	22.	Lecture	1 25
	23.	Dance	1 25
Feb.	4.	"	1 25
	10.	Lecture	1 25

DISBURSEMENTS

1913.

Feb. 20.	Dustbane	35
25.	L. F. Perkins, to work on hall	1 50
27.	One light	25
28.	Four panes of glass	32
Mar. 10.	Danforth Brothers, shavings for hall floor	2 00
25.	Arthur Gardner, wood	4 00
29.	Sawing and housing wood	1 50
Apr. 4.	C. H. Marshall, duster	60
9.	Two lights	60
15.	Dustbane	35
June 20.	Oil, chimney, and dustbane	1 15
July 8.	Dustbane	35
Aug. 8-	Chloride of lime and wax	30
12.	One padlock	25
26.	Floor wax, dustbane and chloride of lime	80
Sept. 18.	Four gallons oil	60
Oct.	Lamp chimney	25
3.	Four gallons oil	60
	Lamp chimney and wick	12
Nov. 15.	L. F. Perkins, labor on windows	1 25
	Dustbane	35
25.	One cord wood	5 00
	Sawing and housing wood	1 10
	Electric switch	50
Dec. 15.	Dustbane and one light	60
1914.		
Feb. 4.	Waterpail and dustbane	65

 \$25 34

School Report

VILLAGE SCHOOLS

Grace M. Richmond, teaching	\$180 00
Martha W. Cilley, teaching	360 00
J. G. Peaslee, cleaning vault	1 50
Mrs. G. L. Mitchell, board of Rosaline Richards	24 00
Danforth Bros., Supplies	4 72
Betsey F. Cheney, cleaning	7 00
Chas. S. Wiggin, sawing wood	1 25
W. M. Carr, curtains	13 74
Ned H. Smith, labor on flag pole	1 00
J. G. Peaslee, cleaning vault	1 50
Geo. H. Shattuck, wood	36 00
Mrs. G. L. Mitchell, board of Rosaline Richards	18 75
Chas. S. Wiggin, housing wood and cleaning yard	6 00
Leon Perkins, sawing wood	6 00
G. A. Hemphill, labor	50
Annie M. Johnson, teaching	190 00
J. W. Sanborn, kindlings	3 85
Danforth Bros., supplies	7 31
N. H. Smith, labor	1 00
J. G. Peaslee, cleaning vault	1 00
Moody Gillingham, kindlings	1 00
C. H. Marshall, repairs on stove	60
George W. Sumner, repairs	2 01

CENTER

A. G. Forsburg, wood	\$5 75
Mertie Nolan, teaching	252 00
S. G. Stevens & Son, wood	2 00
L. A. Colby, cleaning	3 50
C. C. Stevens, wood	3 00
Stevens Bros., wood	5 00
Conrad Forsburg, sawing wood	75
Emma Sebra, teaching	16 00
C. C. & A. D. Stevens, wood	7 50
Conrad Forsburg, sawing wood	1 15
A. K. Forsaith, repairing clock	1 25
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	\$297 90

BOX CORNER

Robert I. Hoyt, sawing and housing wood	\$2 00
D. G. Peaslee, wood	2 50
Jennie M. Messer, teaching	252 09
“ “ cleaning	3 50
Vinzey Messer, sawing wood	1 50
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	\$261 50

POND

H. E. Messer, teaching	\$168 00
H. E. Young, wood	26 50
Mary A. Griffin, teaching	140 00
Bertha Bailey, cleaning	75
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	\$335 25

CRAIG

Pearl M. Stevens, cleaning	\$1 50
Fred H. Stevens, wood	20 25

C. M. Nolan, teaching	\$91 00
H. E. Messer, "	82 50
Annie M. Johuson, teaching	77 00
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	\$272 25

PLAIN

Edna M. Crane, teaching	\$168 00
Betsey F. Cheney, cleaning	3 00
G. H. Ingalls, wood	2 00
S. I. Colby, teaching	21 00
N. Grace Roby, teaching	198 00
Louis Gregory, wood	4 50
Roy D. Cofrin, sawing wood	1 50
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	\$298 00

WEST

Mary A. McDowell, teaching	\$84 00
Frederick McDowell, wood	3 00
Geo. H. Ingalls, wood	18 00
Robert I. Hoyt, sawing wood	2 25
Mrs. G. H. Ingalls, cleaning	3 00
Alice M. Shirland, teaching	161 00
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	\$271 25

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Milton Bradley Co., supplies	\$16 02
Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies	76 77
Silver Burdett & Co., books	6 88
American Book Co., "	11 04
Silver Burdett & Co.,	25 40
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	\$136 11

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

Colby Academy	\$54 00
S. F. H. School	346 58
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	\$400 58

SCHOOL OFFICERS BILLS

Grace M. Wallis, Truant Officer	6 00
F. O. Melvin	20 00
R. W. Cummings	20 00
J. W. Sanborn	30 00
W. M. Carr	15 00
A. F. Moor	4 00
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	\$95 00

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

George W. Sumner	\$170 00
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JANITORS

Harold F. Wyman	\$18 00
Fred C. Messer	4 00
Gladys E. Messer	2 00
Dorothy Bartlett	3 00
Mertie E. Nolan	5 00
Mary A. McDowell	3 00
Isabel Ingalls	2 50
Alice M. Shirland	2 50
Edna M. Crane	4 75
N. Grace Roby	1 50
H. E. Messer	5 50
Pearl M. Stevens	5 00
Mrs. Fred Stevens	2 50
Mary A. Griffin	5 00
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	\$64 25

MISCELLANEOUS

J. A. Peaslee, insurance	\$30 00
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, lumber	8 33
F. H. Howe, numeration cards	80
R. E. Lane, rubber stamp	1 35
Geo. W. Sumner, freight and stamp	54
Thompson & Hoague, dustbane	5 00
F. W. Johnson, tuition and rent	90 00
F. O. Melvin, freight, express and conveying teacher	2 75
R. W. Cummings, labor and cash paid out	9 75
F. O. Melvin, express, freight and stamp	4 14
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	\$152 66

CONVEYING SCHOLARS

J. L. Piper	\$79 50
W. F. Butcher	60 00
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	\$139 50

MONEY RECEIVED

Balance from last year	\$1227 06
School money	1710 00
By vote of district	200 00
Books and supplies	150 00
Tuition high school	500 00
Flags	10 00
School officers' salaries	115 00
Dog license	112 20
Literary fund	75 90
Tuition rebate	91 00
Superintendent's salary	170 00

Tuition from Hillsboro	\$28 80
Newbury	5 60
Sutton	5 60
School money from Newbury	19 09
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	\$4420 25
Paid out	3762 98
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Balance	\$657 27

To the Board of Selectmen

The School Board recommend that you raise the following sums of money for 1914.

For school books and supplies	\$150 00
tuition	500 00
flags	15 00
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	\$665 00

R. W. CUMMINGS	} School Board
J. W. SANBORN	
F. O. MELVIN	

School Treasurer's Report

School Treasurer, Dr.

Balance from last year	\$1303 06
Cash Received	3193 19
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	\$4496 25

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Cash Paid, Orders	\$3829 92
Cash in Bank	666 33
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	\$4496 25
Outstanding Orders,	9 06

WM. M. CARR, Treasurer.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS

SCHOOL BOARD

Roswell W. Cummings, Chairman.

George W. Sumner, Secretary.

Roswell W. Cummings,	Term expires March, 1914
Joseph W. Sanborn	Term expires March, 1915
Frank O. Melvin	Term expires March, 1916

Regular meetings on the Tuesday following the first Saturday of each month.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

George C. Trow, Moderator

Arthur F. Moor, Clerk

William M. Carr, Treasurer

George W. Cofrin, Leon M. Morse, Auditors

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

George W. Sumner

Post office address, Penacook, N. H. New England Telephone.

TRUANT OFFICER

Mrs. Grace M. Wallis

TEACHERS

Miss Annie M. Johnson	Grammar School
Miss Martha W. Cilley	Primary School
Miss N. Grace Roby	Plain School
Mrs. Jennie M. Messer	Box Corner School
Mrs. Mary A. McDowell	West School
Miss Emma Sebra	Center School
Mrs. Hannah E. Messer	Craig School
Miss Mary Griffin	Massassecum School

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the School Board :

Since my term of service has been short, I shall not attempt to make an exhaustive report.

In general, it seems evident that considerable care, thought and money have been used on various occasions to make your schools what they should be. It is equally apparent that this has occurred at intervals somewhat far apart and that in the interim there has been neglect of those multitudinous details that demand constant attention. This condition is not unusual nor is it strange. It is easier for communities most of whose time and thought are devoted to other lines of endeavor, to deal with schools periodically when their needs have become apparent to everybody and their improvement calls for enough of effort to make it seem eminently worth while.

Since, however, the district has voted to expend some of its school money in employing a superintendent, it seems reasonable for me to assume that the community is not content merely with conducting its schools in as good a manner as the average community of its size usually does, but that you desire to get full value for every unit of money or effort invested.

I would therefore urge upon you the desirability of a regular annual appropriation sufficient not only to guard against a temporary deterioration along any line but to insure a gradual improvement.

To keep the school plant always in condition: to keep ceilings, walls, floors, stove pipes, windows, outbuildings, in the same condition that the average housewife desires for her home or the merchant for his store, requires but little more money than the more spasmodic method.

The toilets in all the school buildings need improvement. At least one stool in each toilet should have a hinged second cover providing a large square hole for a boys urinal. The walls should be made tight. The youngest child should be able to fasten the door. At least at the Center, one of the largest schools and with most of

the children carrying their dinners, a separate toilet should be provided for each sex,

The old benches in four buildings should be replaced by modern comfortable seats as soon as practicable. In the meantime they should be set nearer together. At present the front of the seats are, on the average, five or six inches back of the back edge of the desks. Let any parent who wishes try the experiment of pulling his chair five inches back from the table and write and study in this position for two or three hours.

The seats at the Plain School should be turned around so that the children will face a blank wall instead of the two sunny south windows.

At the Village School the shed floor demands immediate repairs. The lighting in the rooms is very bad, especially on the blackboards. That this is causing a dangerous amount of eye strain there can be no doubt. I can think of no satisfactory improvement which does not involve radical changes in the building.

There is need of better blackboards in all the schools; of more maps, preferably without names; of a good dictionary in every school.

I find the district's supply of text-books much better than in many districts. There is need of more reading material. I recommend a change in Arithmetics and Language books when those in use are worn out. A few small dictionaries are needed for the individual use of pupils in the upper classes.

I recommend that the School Board ask for one hundred and fifty dollars for text-books and scholars' supplies and fifteen dollars for flags.

I have been asked why it is so difficult to secure teachers to fill vacancies occurring in Bradford. A study of teachers' salaries will give a partial answer to this question. The average monthly salary paid to women teachers throughout the state was \$41.93 in 1912, that paid in Bradford was \$31.00. Bradford's average salary has been increasing slowly in the last five years (though the salary in several schools has not been increased) but the rate of increase has not kept pace with the increase in the state as a whole. While the

average salary in Bradford has increased 10 5-7 per cent since 1898 the average throughout the state has increased 16 5-12 per cent. Vacancies in those schools where there has been no increase whatever are of course very difficult to fill.

I appreciate the cordial manner in which I have been met by the citizens, the pleasant relations with the teachers, and the support which the Board has accorded to me.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. SUMNER.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Spring term of 11 weeks opens	Monday, April 6, 1914
Spring term closes	Friday, June 19, 1914

Summer vacation

Fall term of 15 weeks opens	Tuesday, Sept. 8, 1914
Fall term closes	Friday, Dec. 18, 1914

Vacation of 2 weeks

Winter term of 10 weeks opens	Monday, Jan. 4, 1915
Winter term closes	Friday, March 12, 1915

Note— The date of closing the Winter term depends, of course, on the amount of money raised.

ROLL OF HONOR

Pupils who were not absent or tardy during the entire school year ending July 15, 1913.

BOX CORNER SCHOOL: Zanella Fortune, Ethel Fortune, Vinzey Fortune.

WEST SCHOOL: Carl Ingalls, Eva Ingalls, Mildred McDowell.
CENTER SCHOOL: Emma Cressy.

ATTENDANCE TABLE For the School Year Ending July 15, 1913.

SCHOOL.	Length of School in Weeks	No of Pupils registered			Average Daily Attendance	Average Daily Absence	Average Membership	Per cent of Attendance	No. cases of Tardiness	No. cases of Dismissal	Visits by Superintendent	Visits by School Board	Visits by Others	Pupils not Tardy Absent or
		Total	Girls	Boys										
Grammar	36	18	11	7	12.8	1.5	14.3	89.6	33	4		6	74	0
Primary	36	25	11	14	13.4	2.1	15.5	86.4	53	0		11	80	0
Plain	36	13	7	6	7.9	.5	8.4	93.9	2	6		4	82	0
Box Corner	34	13	6	7	10.4	.8	11.3	92.6	2	11		6	16	3
West	36	5	3	2	4.8	.2	5.	95.9	16	0		2	26	3
Center	36	17	11	6	9.2	1.1	10.3	88.9	20	0		4	63	1
Craig	36	7	3	4	6.	.4	6.4	94.5	57	2		6	34	0
Massachusetts	36	4	3	1	3.8	.2	4.	95.1	0	0		2	32	0
Entire Dist.	35.7	102	55	47	68.1	6.8	74.9	90.9	183	23		41	407	7

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE FOR THE FALL TERM, 1913.

Grammar	11	15	6	9	12	1.4	13.4	89.6	13	28	8	3	21	2
Primary	11	15	9	6	12	1.5	13.5	88.8	13	1	8	3	25	0
Plain	10	10	4	6	8.1	.3	8.4	96.8	11	3	3	0	11	0
Box Corner	13	9	4	5	8.5	.5	9.	94.	3	8	5	1	5	4
West	11	5	3	2	4.7	.2	4.9	95.8	5	1	4	0	10	2
Center	11	16	10	6	12.6	1.5	14.1	89.3	46	0	6	2	11	3
Craig	11	5	2	3	4.9	.1	5.	99.2	0	0	3	0	7	3
Massachusetts	10	4	3	1	3.9	.1	4.	99.2	2	0	3	1	2	2
Entire Dist.	11	79	41	38	67.3	5.6	72.9	92.4	93	41	40	10	92	16

Births registered in the town of Bradford, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1913.

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Male or Female	Living or Stillborn	Color	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Father	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother
Mar 24	Bradford	Evelyn May Stevens	F	L	W	4	Alfred Stevens	Ida Clark	W	Bradford	Carpenter	Bradford	Bradford	28	26
Apr 5	Bradford	Robert Wilson Colby	M	L	W	6	Darius E Colby	Maude Gillingham	W	Bradford	Farmer	Warner	Greggsville Ill	46	40
Apr 16	Bradford	Phyllis Marion Chase	F	L	W	2	Charles H Chase	Viola E Hoyt	W	Bradford	Farmer	Bradford	Bradford	35	35
Apr 21	Bradford		M	L	W	3	George Ingalls	Hattie Shottuck	W	Bradford	Farmer	Bradford	Cavendish Vt	54	32
June 19	Bradford		M	L	W	1	W E Long	Helen Felch	W	Sherbrooke Can	Mechanic	Canada	Derry Vt	22	26
Oct 11	Bradford	Estella Ella Hanson	F	L	W	2	Forest Hanson	Mary Chase	W	Bradford	Laborer	Webster	Webster	25	18
Nov 4	Bradford	Marion White Cheney	F	L	W	3	William P Cheney	Evangelia White	W	Bradford	Farmer	Sutton	Bradford	33	19
Dec 10	Bradford	Edna Lucile Foley	F	L	W	3	Clarence Foley	Myrtle R Davis	W	Bradford	Farmer	Morris N Y	Chester Vt	25	27

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Deaths registered in the town of Bradford, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1913.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Occupation	Male or Female	Color	Single, Widowed, Married	Name of Father	Birthplace of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Mother
Jan 4	Lowell Mass	Lucinda F Boynton	75	4	20			F	W		Benj E Wadleigh	Sutton	Olive Chandler	Newbury
Jan 10	Bradford	Lucinda W Peaslee	78	3	10	Bradford		F	W	M	Timothy Dowling	Bradford	Katherine Hanks	Bradford
Jan 16	Bradford	Elizabeth D Gould	87		13	Bradford		F	W	W	Webster Barnard	Warner	Sarah Flanders	Warner
Jan 31	Bradford	Sarah F Wright	76	3	4	Warner		F	W	W		Farmington Me	Mary Huff	
Feb 7	Bradford	Wm M Nutting	47	10	21	Farmington Me	Engineer	M	W	M	Eliel Jennings	Cornish	Mary Thomas	
Feb 16	Bradford	Gilbert E Jennings	78	4	3	Claremont	Farmer	M	W	W	Peter Benton	Deering	Ruth Austin	Deering
Feb 17	Bradford	Elbridge G Benton	81	7	21	Bradford	Carpenter	M	W	D	Thomas B Adams	Henniker	Mary A Perry	Henniker
Mar 2	Bradford	Ella A Purington	60	5	16	Henniker		F	W	W	Lemuel Blood		Lucy Bates	
Mar 1	Auburn	Rosira C George	86	11	17			F	W		Timothy Eastman		Polly Libbey	
Mar 19	Hopkinton	Elizabeth A Wheeler	79	10	24	Warner		F	W	W				
Feb 14	Portsmouth	George W Crittenden	65		25		Farmer	M	W	M				
Apr 27	Bradford	Clarence M Smith	50	8	6	Barton Vt	Tinsmith	M	W	M	James A Smith		Marilla O Metcalf	

Deaths continued.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Occupation	Male or Female	Color	Single, Wid-owed, Married	Name of Father	Birthplace of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Mother
Feb 10	Ottawa Can	Ella P Pinkham	61			Bradford		F	W	M	Lemuel Twiss	Brentwood	Mary J Hart	New Durham
June 17	Manchester	Charlotte L. Morse	57			Vermont		F	W	W	Samuel Dowlin	Weare	Fannie Stevens	Weare
July 15	Warner	Ira C Dowlin	79	11	15	Bradford	Laborer	M	W	S	Elijah Purington	Bradford	Mary J Paige	Bradford
Jan 19	Hill sboro	Frederick Purington	77			Weare	Farmer	M	W	M	Sindey S Ward	Hopkinton	Maria D Ward	Warner
July 30	Bradford	Chester D Ward	65		26	Bradford	Farmer	M	W	M	Wm C Choate	Bradford	Martha Bailey	Bradford
Sept 7	Concord	Frank E Choate	59	2	22	Warner	Merchant	M	W	M	Itiram Nichols	Bradford	Harriet Brockway	Bradford
Oct 4	Bradford	Harriet E Hoyt	62	2	6	Bradford		F	W	M	Samuel Dowlin		Hannah Colby	Warner
Dec 23	Warner	Hannah Dowlin	90	3	6	Bradford		F	W	S				
Dec 29	Warner	Carrie S Johnson	26					F	W	M				

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Marriages registered in the town of Bradford, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1913.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Birthplace of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. Marriage	Name, residence, and Official Station of person by whom married
June 25	Bradford	Clarence K Wilky	Glenmont N Y	38	W	Farm Supt	Jackson	Joha Willey	Barnstead	Farmer	2	Rev J S Pendleton Bradford N H
	Bradford	Hazel G Smith	Bradford	28	W	P O Clerk	St Albans Vt	Zebulon Smith	Stanbridge P Q	Asst. Station Agent	1	
Sept 24		John M Lewis	Roxbury Mass	29	W	Druggists	Haverhill Mass	John Lewis	Haverhill Mass	Merchant	1	Rev J S Pendleton Bradford N H
		Lucy R Putnam	Bradford	22	W	Clerk	Northampton Mass	George A Putman	Hopkinton	Mail Carrier	1	
Oct 9	Bradford	Guy D Nichols	Bradford	27	W	Merchant	Newbury	George L Nichols	Newbury	Farmer	1	Rev J S Pendleton Bradford N H
		Janette E Blood	Bradford	27	W		Bradford	Hollis L Blood	Goshen	Farmer	1	
Oct 29	Lisbon	Ralph E Ward	Bradford	31	W	Farmer	Bradford	Chester D Ward	Bradford	Farmer	1	Rev Harold Davidson Lisbon N H
		Jean E Bruce	Lisbon	22	W		Nova Scotia	William Bruce	Nova Scotia		1	

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